## House Resolution No. 3595

Whereas, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives hold in high esteem those Show-Me State residents who have proven down through the years to be exemplary citizens in local communities and neighborhoods; and

Whereas, Herbert M. Kohn recently enhanced his already impressive record of accomplishment when he was selected to receive a 2008 Missourian Award by the American Heart Association at a special ceremony to be held on September 27, 2008; and

Whereas, Herbert Kohn is a partner with Bryan Cave LLP practicing corporate, business, and banking law, and concentrating in the areas of acquisitions, financial transactions, banking, and public finance; and

Whereas, Herbert Kohn is a former chairman of the Board of Trustees for the Kansas City Art Institute, trustee of the Richard and Annette Bloch Cancer Foundation, member of the Board of Directors of Bernstein-Rein Advertising, Inc., member of the Board of Directors of American Sterling Bank, former director of Missouri Boys State, former chairman of Shalom Geriatric and Convalescent Center, former chairman of the United Way Professional Group, and member of the Board of Trustees of Truman Library; and

Whereas, a nationally exhibited photographer, Herbert Kohn met his wife, Nancy, while he was attending the University of Michigan, and they are the proud parents of two children, David and Karen; and

Whereas, Missourian Awards nominees have made an outstanding contribution to the state or nation in the areas of civics, business, education, politics, or the arts by dedicating their lives to improving the quality of life in this state through diligent work and charitable ideals; and

Whereas, past Missourian Awards winners have included George Washington Carver, General Omar Bradley, Thomas Hart Benton, Walter Cronkite, President Harry S Truman, General John J. Pershing, Wal-Mart founder Sam Walton, and Walt Disney; and

Whereas, established by Springfield businessman Ralph Slavens and his late wife in 1994, Missourian Awards have been presented annually for fifteen years by the American Heart Association to acknowledge the most accomplished citizens of the state of Missouri:

Now, therefore, be it resolved that we, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives, Ninety-fourth General Assembly, join to applaud the well-deserved selection of Herbert Kohn for a 2008 Missourian Award from the American Heart Association; and

Be it further resolved that the Chief Clerk of the Missouri House of Representatives be instructed to prepare a properly inscribed copy of this resolution for Herbert M. Kohn.

Offered by

Representative Beth Low District No. 39

I, Rod Jetton, Speaker of the House of Representatives, Ninety-fourth General Assembly, Second Regular Session, do certify that the above is a true and correct copy of House Resolution No. 3595, adopted July 9, 2008.